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REMARKS

The abstract and claims have been amended to eliminate character references. No new matter has been added to the application as a result of this amendment.

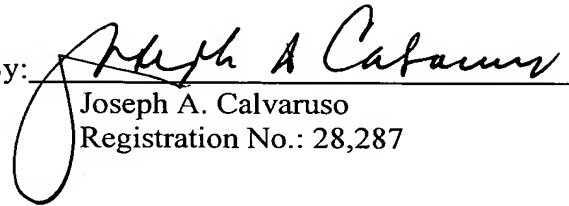
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may
10 be required for this amendment, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500,
Order No. 1948-4841.

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5 **REPLACEMENT ABSTRACT**

ABSTRACT

~~METHOD OF FIXING A POWER LIGHT EMITTING DIODE TO A RADIATOR, AND AN
INDICATOR DEVICE COMPRISING SUCH A DIODE~~

~~A Method~~ method of fixing a power light-emitting diode {1} having a metallic base
10 {2} to a metallic heat-radiating element {3}, according to which the base {2} of the light-
emitting diode is fixed to the radiating element {3} by laser spot welding {11}.

~~{Figure 1}~~